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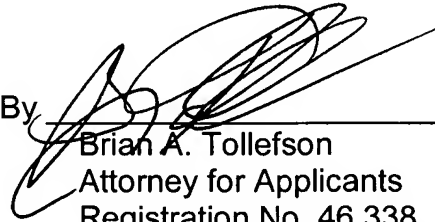
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Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, the Commissioner is authorized the required fee to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. An additional copy of this document is enclosed.

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